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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

First National Bank—Statement.
Schwartz Bros.—Concerning shoes.
D. J. Chandler—Boys' Good Clothing.

PERSONAL.

Mr. W. T. McLeod spent Thursday in town.
Mr. Frank M. Spann was in town Sunday.

Mr. P. G. Bowman, of Columbia is in the city.

Mrs. C. W. Hewitt of Darlington is in the city.

Dr. Haskell Durant of Bishopville is in the city.

Miss Lola Kirkley is visiting Miss Moneta Osteen.

Mr. L. C. Mills of Mayesville was in town Saturday.

Mr. W. Ed. Dick was in the city on business last week.

Col. W. A. Neal, of Spartanburg, was in town Saturday.

Judge J. M. Reid, of St. Charles, spent Monday in town.

Mr. W. A. Stuckey, of Manning spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Robert Shuford, of Georgetown was in the city Sunday.

Mr. McDonald Furman spent several days in town last week.

Mr. J. E. McCutchen of Wisacky was in the city Friday.

Mr. R. M. Jenkins of St. Charles spent yesterday in town.

Mr. W. P. Baskin of Bishopville was in the city last Thursday.

Capt. E. M. Cooper, of Mayesville spent Saturday in the city.

Mr. O. C. Scarborough, of Summerton, spent Saturday in town.

Mrs. J. F. Jenkins of Camden, is visiting Mrs. T. B. Jenkins, Jr.

Mrs. A. Brand, of Wilmington, N. C., is visiting relatives here.

Rev. and Mrs. V. R. Gaston, of St. Charles were in the city last week.

Mr. J. O. Durant, Supervisor of Lee county, was in town Thursday.

Supt. S. H. Edmunds attended the Educational Conference in Columbia Saturday.

Mr. Frank McLeod one of the oldest citizens of Lynchburg, was in town Thursday.

Mrs. H. W. Sholar, of Tarboro, N. C., is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Flowers.

Maj. H. F. Wilson has returned from Savannah where he spent several days this week on business.

Dr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Petrie, of Charlottesville, Va., after a short visit left yesterday morning for Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Cohen and Miss Nettie Cohen, of Washington, D. C., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ferd. Levi.

Mr. J. E. Jerevy who attended the United States Court in Charleston last week was made foreman of the Grand Jury.

Mr. Dave Rosendorf, of Richmond, Va., a former resident of Sumter, was in town on business several days last week.

Mr. Ernest Carson, who has completed his third year at the Charleston Medical College is at home for the summer.

Judge R. O. Purdy returned to the city Thursday from the upper part of the State where he has been holding court for nearly two months.

Rev. Geo. L. Petrie, D. D. with Mrs. Petrie, of Charlottesville Va., spent Thursday in town with Dr. and Mrs. Geo. Dick. After visiting relatives at Wisacky they returned to Sumter on Saturday. Dr. Petrie having accepted an invitation to preach at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wells Alderman, of Alcolu, S. C., passed through the city yesterday en route to Duplin county to spend several days at the old home of Mr. Alderman. They went up last evening. Mr. Alderman is at the head of the D. W. Alderman Sons Co., one of the largest and most wealthy lumber firms in the Palmetto State, and has achieved distinction in his line of business. He was cordially greeted by many Wilmington friends yesterday.—Wilmington Star, April 11.

Messrs. Altamont Moses and H. C. Moses left this morning for Aiken, to attend a meeting of Knights of Honor.

Mr. R. F. Strain, of Darien, Ga., is visiting at Mr. Abe Ryttenberg's.

The race for the appointment as Clerk of Court is still exciting much interest.

The partial eclipse of the moon Saturday night was seen and admired by many people.

The plan to organize a local baseball team to give good ball here this summer seems to have come to nothing.

The offices of Judge Purdy and Mark Reynolds, Esq., have been enlarged by the addition of three rooms to the rear.

The milliners have been working over time on Easter hats for several weeks, and the result of their labors will be on exhibition Sunday.

The chain gang is raving for about fifty able bodied laborers, and there are more than enough vagrants loafing around the city to supply the needs of the gang.

Mr. A. W. Crosswell has purchased the residence of the late J. F. Laughery on Manning avenue and the two cottages in the rear of it and facing on Graham street.

The installation of Sumter Lodge of Elks will take place on Friday, April 17th. A banquet will be given at the Hotel Sumter Friday night after the installation.

The survey of the city for the sewerage system was started bright and early Monday morning and the work will be prosecuted vigorously every day, the weather permitting until it is completed.

MARRIED.

Married by Mr. J. Frank Pate, Notary Public, at his office on Main street last Thursday, Mr. Edward A. Kelley and Miss Julia Walden, of Remini.

DEATH.

Mrs. D. E. Hogan the aged mother of Mr. W. B. Boyle died yesterday at the home of her son, Mr. T. H. Boyle, of Greenville, S. C., after a long illness. Her remains were brought to this city for interment and the funeral services were held in the First Methodist Church at 10.30 o'clock this morning.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cuttino died Friday night after several weeks sickness, aged ten months. The funeral was held from the family residence on South Main street at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Frances T. White, the mother of Mr. L. E. White, died at the home of her son, on North Main street, on Sunday at the advanced age of 76 years.

The funeral services were held at Mr. White's residence at 3.30 o'clock Monday, and the interment was at the Chandler family burial ground a few miles from the city.

Funeral of Shepard Nash.

The funeral of Mr. Shepard Nash which was held in the Presbyterian Church at 10.30 o'clock a. m. Thursday was very largely attended, there being present to pay a last mark of respect to the memory of a man so universally esteemed, many of his friends from other sections of this county and from Lee county as well as hundreds from this immediate vicinity.

The services were brief and simple, Dr. Edmunds confining his remarks to a feeling tribute to the character of Mr. Nash as a man and as a citizen. Claremont Lodge, No. 64, A. F. M., attended the funeral in a body and at the grave took charge, and the interment was made with full Masonic ceremony.

The pall bearers were: Active, T. B. Fraser, Dr. Geo. W. Dick, Dr. H. M. Stuckey, W. S. Jones, J. H. Chandler, W. H. Yates, H. L. Scarborough and W. F. Shaw.

Honorary—Dr. D. R. McCallum, W. J. Anderson, J. L. Haynsworth and M. R. Wilson.

REMEDY FOR GRAIN LOUSE.

Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co. Will Supply Marl Free of Cost to Farmers.

The officers of the Virginia-Carolina Co., having been advised by Prof. Newman, of Clemson College that pulverized marl is the best remedy for the grain louse which is rapidly destroying the oat crop in this section of the State, have decided to supply the marl free of cost to all farmers who apply for it and will agree to apply it as directed. Senator R. I. Manning has received a letter from the Virginia-Carolina Co., in reference to the offer to supply the marl to the farmers of this section, and he is taking the names of those who want it, and will forward the names to the company.

Any farmer who wants to make a trial of the marl can obtain a supply by seeing Mr. Manning, who will explain the matter more fully.

PERPETUAL MOTION AT LAST.

Mr. D. G. Zeigler Secures Patents on Invention.

Mr. D. G. Zeigler has secured letters patent in this country and several foreign countries on a perpetual motion machine he has invented. He has secured the first patent the U. S. patent office has issued on a perpetual motion machine within a period of forty years, which is a quasi endorsement of the utility of the machine.

The United States patent office has the following to say about the machine: "This invention utilizes the gravitative force of a traveling weight arranged to move in a circle and during each revolution to pass towards and from the centre of rotation in a path, to bring the preponderance of weight on the descending side of the rotative support, carrying the same weight, whereby power is generated to perform effective work."

Annual Settlement Made.

The annual settlement between County Treasurer Scarborough and Auditor Wilder was made yesterday in the presence of Comptroller General A. W. Jones, who came over from Columbia this morning to attend the meeting of the State Board of Health and to make this annual settlement.

The settlement was made without difficulty, the whole transaction being completed within the space of a half hour. The books and accounts of both officers were in the most satisfactory condition, and at the conclusion of the settlement Mr. Jones complimented both officials and stated that there are but few counties in the State that have as well conducted offices as Sumter, and none in better condition. The annual settlement having been made, Mr. Scarborough will shortly turn over the office to Treasurer Lee, who has had his commission and bond for some time but has delayed taking charge of the office until the settlement could be made.

THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.

A meeting of the State Board of Health was held yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Sumter.

The meeting would have been held in the morning, but the Secretary of the board, Dr. James Evans, of Florence, did not reach the city until the afternoon freight arrived from Florence. The other members came in on the morning passenger trains. The board is as follows:

Dr. T. Grange Simons, of Charleston, Chairman.

Dr. James Evans, of Florence, Secretary.

Dr. Robert Wilson, of Charleston.

Mr. C. M. Reese, of Charleston.

Dr. A. A. Moore, of Camden.

Dr. J. L. Napier, of Blenheim.

Dr. J. A. Nardin, of Anderson.

Attorney General U. X. Gunter.

Comptroller General, A. W. Jones.

THE SOUTH CAROLINA

MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.

THE ANNUAL MEETING CONVENES THIS MORNING.

An Attendance of Two Hundred Prominent Physicians Looked For.

The South Carolina Medical Association will convene in annual session in this city at 10 o'clock this morning. The sessions of the association will be held in the Masonic Temple and the rooms of the club on the second floor will be thrown open to the members of the association and for use for committee meetings.

The officers of the association are:

President—Manning Simons, Charleston.

First Vice President—E. F. Darby, Sumter.

Second Vice President—P. L. Horn, St. George.

Third Vice President—P. G. Ellisor, Newberry.

Recording Secretary—T. P. Whaley, Charleston.

Corresponding Secretary—A. B. Knowlton, Columbia.

Treasurer—B. E. Baker, Charleston.

The association will be called to order by the President promptly at 10 o'clock. The following programme has been arranged:

Divine invocation.

Address of welcome.

Executive business.

Address of the president.

Reports of the officers and committees:

Executive committee, State board of health.

State board of medical examiners.

Legislative committee.

The following are the chairmen of the various committees:

On Improvements in Obstetrics—R. L. Edwards, Darlington.

On Improvements in Ophthalmology—Henry Horlbeck, Columbia.

On Improvements in Rhinology and Laryngology—E. M. Whaley, Columbia.

On Improvements in Surgery—W. C. Black, Greenville.

On Improvements in the Practice of Medicine—D. M. Crosson, Leesville.

On Improvements in Dermatology and Genito-Urinary Diseases—P. V. Mikell, Columbia.

The order of business and the number of and the hours of sessions to be held daily will be decided upon when the association convenes.

The annual address will be delivered by Dr. Lewis S. McMurry of Louisville, Ky. Besides this address 24 papers will be read on various subjects relating to the practice of medicine. Special papers will be read by Dr. Geo. Ben Johnson of Richmond, Va., who comes to the meeting as the guest of the doctors of Sumter county, and by Dr. W. T. English of Pittsburgh, Pa.

The banquet tendered the association by the Sumter County Medical Society and the citizens of Sumter will be the closing event of the meeting on Thursday night. The banquet will be served in the ball room in the Masonic Temple, and no pains have been spared to make it an enjoyable occasion, one that the visiting doctors will remember with pleasant recollections.

The indications now lead the local members of the association to believe that the meeting will be one of the most largely attended and enthusiastic the association has had for years, and the people of Sumter trust that the attendance will be all that is expected.

The committee of arrangements is as follows:

J. J. Bossard, chairman, J. A. Mood, Van-Telburg Hofman, F. M. Dwight, S. C. Baker, Walter Cheyne, T. P. Whaley, secretary.

Red Men go to Columbia.

Mr. J. Frank Pate who holds the highest position in the gift of the order, that of Great Prophet of the Great Council of Red Men of South Carolina, left Monday night for Columbia to attend the Great Council that meet in that city Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. The Order has made the largest gain in membership this year it has ever made in its history.

Mr. N. G. Osteen has gone to Columbia to attend the Great Council of Red Men as a representative of Pocahontas Tribe, No. 16.

Mr. B. C. Wallace, who holds a position in the Great Council of Red Men, has also gone to Columbia.

A PRIMARY WANTED.

Petition Circulated and Generally Signed Asking That a Primary Election Be Held to Select Clerk of Court.

A petition was circulated Saturday and very generally signed by the voters of this city and by many citizens of other sections of the county who were in town, requesting the county Legislature delegation to recommend that a primary election be ordered for the purpose of electing a Clerk of Court to fill out the unexpired term of the late Shepard Nash. As far as can be ascertained by talking with the people there is a strong and growing sentiment in favor of the primary as the best and most satisfactory plan that can be adopted to settle the clerkship question. It is argued that since Governor Heyward has heretofore referred the appointment of county officers for unexpired terms to the county delegations instead of exercising his right of appointment without the recommendation, and that in one or more instances primaries have been held in other counties to fill vacant offices he will do so in this case, and that it may as well be referred direct to the people, rather than to their Legislative representatives. The people themselves may as well be given the privilege of electing the Clerk by vote as to have the members of the Legislature do it for them.

THE CUBAN SPY.

Drama to be Produced at the Opera House by Pupils of Sumter Military Academy and Female Seminary.

The pupils of the Sumter Military Academy and Female Seminary will present, in the Opera House, this evening, "The Cuban Spy, a comedy-drama, in four acts, by Frank Dumont." The cast of characters is as follows:

Little Cuba, "Elmora," Miss Alleen Owens.

Richard Carson, a young American aiding the patrols—Clarence J. Owens.

Roderig Valdez, secretly in pay of the Spaniards—Spann J. Greene.

Jasper Gomez, Lopez—Officers in Valdez Command, Edgar P. Mitchell, John C. Durant, Jr.

Phelim McNab, Irishman—J. McSwain Woods.

Carl Weisbeer, Dutchman—Claude McFall.

Jerry, Negro—J. H. Simpson.

Bridget Monahan, looking for Phelim McNab—Miss Daisy Greene.

Sophie, a waiting-maid—Miss Eula Rogers.

Sailors, Guerillas, Cubans.

The play has been diligently rehearsed and the public is promised a really excellent production by well trained amateurs. Performance begins at 8.30 o'clock. Admission 25 cents; reserved seats 35 cents.

Insurance and Telegraph Changes.

Messrs. Perry Moses, Jr., T. P. Lynam and J. M. Lawrence have bought the Sumter Insurance Agency, Mr. I. H. Moses retiring from the business.

Mr. I. H. Moses, who has been associated with the business from its establishment, then known as the A. C. Phelps Co., leaves this evening for New York, where he will open an office as a cotton commission merchant and broker. He is a member of the New York Cotton Exchange, having bought a seat several years ago.

Mr. T. P. Lynam, who has been manager of the Western Union Telegraph Office for the past seven years, has resigned his position, the resignation taking effect on May 1st, after which date he will devote his entire attention to the insurance agency. He will be succeeded as manager of the Western Union Telegraph office by his brother, Mr. Frank Lynam, formerly an operator in the office, but for the past two years an operator in the Augusta offices of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies. He is an expert operator and the office will be in good hands.

LEE COUNTY COMMISSION.

Meeting Expected to be Held Very Soon.

It is expected that the Lee county commission appointed recently by the governor to settle the differences existing between Lee and the surrounding counties will meet shortly. A letter has been sent to Senator Manning, of Sumter, in regard to a meeting and an answer is expected tomorrow.—Columbia Record.



Boys' Good Clothes

Nowhere can you waste money so easily as on poor clothes for boys.

We have good Clothes made for the Boys, that run and scramble and tumble and climb; we have suits that will stay with them.

For the big boys we have single and double-breasted two and three piece Suits at \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4.50, \$5 and up to \$10.

For the little boys we have sailor, Blouse and Norfolk Suits from \$2.50 to \$6.

All new and fresh Spring styles. Try our kind of Boys' Clothes.

D. J. Chandler,

Phone 166. Sumter, S. C.

WHAT FIRM IN SUMTER

Is showing the handsomest and most varied spring stock this season? Any nine ladies out of ten will probably tell you (if you do not already know it) that this claim is rightly ours. Regard these pointers: The prominent Fabrics now being shown are the Black and Colored Voiles, Eoleans, Lansdowns, London Twines and Etamines—these are wool.

In Silks the race is very even between the Peau De Cripe and Taffetas, while never before have the Checks and Pin-dot Foulards for shirt waist suits been so good.

The selling of the soft Madras and white Linen waistings, Mercerized Oxfords, plain and printed Batistes, Zephyr Ginghams and washable Organdies has been phenomenal, and the secret of their popularity is their beauty of design and reasonable cost.

For lovers of nice household Linens we have a treat in Table Damasks, Napkins to match Towels, Hemstitched Lunch Table covers, Tray Cloths, Table Mats, &c.

MILLINERY.

The Hats shown in this Department are foreign ideas, confined exclusively to us, and are not obtainable by any other house in Sumter. Every style distinctly different.

GOOD FOOTWEAR

The spring selling of our famous Footwear is now on. Queen Quality for ladies, "Bannister" for gentlemen and "Little Giant" for children are our specials, and they all have a recorded pedigree.

We will try to make it both pleasant and profitable to you should you favor us with a call.

Concerning Shoes.

Dorothy Dodd

That the "Dorothy Dodd" Shoe meets with the approval of the critical, discriminating woman is demonstrated beyond question. The large number of women wearing them are a unit in their expressions of approval of this new shoe.

The Dorothy Dodd shoe is the outcome of a twentieth century woman's thought. The ideas incorporated in this shoe are those evolved by the application of a keen, trained feminine intelligence to the study of the requirements of women in the matter of footwear.

The acme of comfort—the essence of style. To wear a Dorothy Dodd shoe is to know it is superior. Please try a pair. Shoes for infants, children, misses and ladies.

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April 15—3m

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